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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:	§	
JOAN LESLIE BENDER ET AL.	§	Group Art Unit: 2836
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Serial No: 10/767,027	§	Examiner: VORTMAN
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Filed: JANUARY 29, 2004	§	
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For: LOW RESISTANCE POLYMER	§	Atty Docket: CET-026431 CIP1
MATRIX FUSE APPARATUS AND	§	(KS 13682.105463)
METHOD	§	
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED MARCH 15, 2007


Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

In Response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed March 15, 2007, Applicants respectfully submit the following arguments in support thereof.

The Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this Response.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 20231, Attention: Examiner Vortman, Group Art Unit 2836, Facsimile No. 571-273-8300.		
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